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Dear Sir:

Further to the Amendment & Response filed on January 29, 2010, Applicants submit hereto a Rule 1.132 Declaration by Takefumi Ishidao. The Declaration includes the experimental data for Table 3 (see Experiment I on pages 2-8 of the Declaration) and Table 4 (see Experiment II on pages 8-18 of the Declaration) of the Technical Explanation.

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